





MUR 7326  
Attachment to Response

HOSPITALITY PROPERTIES, INC.

February 15, 2018

Mr. Van Shaver

Lenoir City, TN 37772

Dear Mr. Shaver:

This communication is in regard to your February 13, 2018 letter to the Federal Election Commission alleging inappropriate contributions by corporations to the Burchett for Congress campaign (see attached).

Please be advised that your letter alleging that the Tennessee corporation Stokely Hospitality Properties, Inc. ("SHP") made a political contribution to Mr. Burchett is simply false. SHP has no business affiliation with Stokely Hospitality Enterprises ("SHE"). SHP has no common ownership in SHE. SHP has no control over SHE. While the names of the businesses are very similar, I can assure you the two entities are separate and distinct. SHP has not made a political contribution to the Burchett for Congress campaign.

Unfortunately, your assumption that two entities with similar names were one and the same resulted in a false allegation. We respectfully ask that you notify the General Council of the Federal Election Commission of your error, as well as ask for a clarification with the press.

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this unfortunate error.

Sincerely;

Andrea A. White  
President